In re Application of: HARUO MACHIDA

Docket No. 03500.014456.1

Application No.: 10/767,626

Filed: January 30, 2004

For: DATA PROCESSING APPARATUS,

DATE PROCESSING METHOD, AND

STORAGE MEDIUM STORING

COMPUTER-READABLE PROGRAM

Date: May 3, 2004

Mail Stop Amendment THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 9	MINUS	** 20	= 0	x \$9 \$18	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$43 \$86	0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						
			TOTAL ADDITI			0

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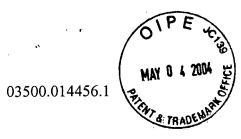
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	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.				
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.				
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.				
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.				
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.				
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.				
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.				
	Respectfully submitted,				
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT				
Sir:				
Prior to examination, please ar	nend the above-identified application as			
follows:				